

**PATENT**  
**U.S. App. No. 09/997,855**  
**Docket No.: 12013/80601**  
**Amendment and Reply to August 24, 2007 Office Action**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Segal et al.

Title : Mechanical Apparatus and Method for Dilating and Delivering A Therapeutic Agent to a Site of Treatment

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**RESPONSE TO AUGUST 24, 2007 OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the August 24, 2007 non-final Office Action, the Applicant respectfully submits this Amendment, accompanied by a one-month extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.